

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: OEXC, UR, SCUL  
SUBJECT: US/USSR THEATRICAL EXCHANGES

1. IN RECENT LETTER EDITH MARKSON INDICATED SHE AND BILL BALL OF ACT WILL BE AVAILABLE TO VISIT SOVIET UNION END OF OCTOBER-EARLY NOVEMBER. VAAP'S SITNIKOV, IN AUG. 22 CONVERSATION WITH ACAO PERFORMING ARTS, CONFIRMED THAT VAAP'S EARLIER INVITATION TO MARKSON/BALL STILL VALID AND SAID HE WOULD SEND MARKSON TELEGRAM TO THAT EFFECT.

2. MARKSON IN LETTER ALSO NOTED HAL PRINCE MAY BE AVAILABLE IN SAME TIME FRAME. MINCULT'S BUTROVA REAFFIRMED MINCULT INVITATION TO PRINCE.

3. EMB WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION ICA/EU CAN COME UP WITH ON BOTH INVITATIONS. TOON

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